TUMKUR DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF THE DISTRICT BOARD, TUMKUR DISTRICT, HELD ON THE 20TH SEPTEMBER 1911.

PRESENT.

M. Shama Rao, Esq., M.A., President

Ex-officio Members.

PRESENT.

1. Mr. B. Basavaradhya, Treasury Assistant Commissioner and Vice-President of the Board.
2. „ A. K. Syed Taj Peeran, Gubbi Sub-Division Officer.
3. „ C. Machiah, Maddagiri Sub-Division Officer.
4. „ K. Anantacharya, Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division.
5. „ H. N. Venkataramanaiya, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Tumkur District.
6. „ T. S. Nanjappa, District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Tumkur District.

Non-official Members.

PRESENT.

1. Mr. Adeppa *bin* Appanna Chetty, Tumkur.
2. „ Mylarappa *bin* Kenchappa, Tumkur.
3. „ Suryanarayana Rao *bin* Mallappa, Tumkur.
4. „ K. B. Srinivasa Rao, Maddagiri.
5. „ Anjaneyasetti, Pavagada.
6. „ C. Srinivasa Rao, Pavagada.
7. „ Agali Venkataramiah, Sira.
8. „ H. Ramaswamaiya, Tiptur.
9. „ Singri Nanjappa *alias* Chinnappa, Tiptur.
10. „ Sambulinga Chetty, Gubbi.
11. „ Honnalige Gowda, Gubbi.
12. „ Singrachar, Kunigal.
13. „ Herur Gundappa, Kunigal.
14. „ Abidalli Sahib, Koratagere.
15. „ Virasetti, Turuvekere.

ABSENT.

1. Mr. G. Sivaramaiya, Maddagiri.
2. „ Gangegowda, Chiknayakanhalli.
3. „ K. Ramanuja Iyengar, Gubbi.

I. Read and passed the accounts of receipts and expenditure for the months of July 1910 to January 1911, audited by the Comptroller.

II. Read and passed the draft report on the working of the District Funds of this district for 1910-11.

III. Read (1) Government Order No. 7397-405—L. B. 432-06, dated 6th February 1909, *re* the revision of the Schedules of rates to be allowed in carrying out public works, (2) Executive Engineer's docket No. 247, dated 20th July 1911, forwarding the schedule of rates prevailing in the Tumkur Division.

Resolved that the rates given in the schedule read above be adopted in sanctioning rates in respect of works to be carried out.

IV. Read (1) docket No. 844-50—L. B. 325-10-4, dated 28th July 1911, from the Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments, calling for the submission of the resolution of the District Board regarding the rules proposed in Dasara Representative Assembly Subject No. 221 of 1910 for regulating the use of musafirkhanas and (2) rules for the occupation and preservation of musafirkhanas, published with Government Notification No. 2945—L. F. 59-03, dated 22nd—24th September 1904.

Resolution.—Two annas per day per room may be levied after first three days' gratuitous occupation. Maximum period of occupation to be discretionary as at present.

V. Read Letter No. 1054—60, dated 17th August 1911, from the President, Mysore District Board, forwarding a copy of the resolution of the Mysore District Board contributing a sum of Rs. 3,000 towards the relief measures in connection with the recent Cauveri floods and requesting to be furnished with the resolution of this District Board in the matter.

Resolution.—From the sanctioned grants in the current year's District Fund budget, a sum of Rs. 250 may be contributed towards the relief measures alluded to in the above. The Board regret their inability to contribute more for want of funds.

VI. Read D. O. correspondence ending with this office D. O. dated 2nd August 1911, to the President, Chitaldrug District Board, regarding the extension of railways in this and Chitaldrug Districts.

Resolved that this subject be deferred to the next meeting.

VII. Read letter No. 71-6—Agri. Conf., dated 1st—6th September 1911, from the Secretary to the Agricultural Committee of the Mysore Economic Conference requesting to be furnished with the opinion of the District Board regarding the measures proposed by Mr. J. W. Chambers regarding the havoc committed by the Jola grasshopper.

Resolution.—The proposals of Mr. Chambers are costly and hence not feasible.

VIII. Read petition dated 31st July 1911, from Hakim Gulam Mahomed Sab of Tumkur praying for an additional grant to his Unani Dispensary at Tumkur, as the present Municipal grant of Rs. 30 is not sufficient for its maintenance, etc.

Resolution.—It is a fact that this is a popular institution and it is resorted to by the townspeople of Tumkur as well as by the people of the neighbouring villages and taluks. From the accounts furnished, the attendance at the Dispensary is large and the present Municipal grant is quite insufficient to meet the cost of the medicines dispensed. In these circumstances a monthly grant of Rs. 20 may be paid out of the District Funds and the same for the current year may be made available out of the provision in the current year's District Fund Budget under C. Civil Charges—VI. Conservancy and Sanitary charges.

IX. Subjects brought forward at the preliminary meeting of Dasara Representative Assembly Members held at Tumkur in August 1911 and referred to the Board :—

(1) Putting up railings on either side of the bund of the Maralur tank, on which the Tumkur-Maddur road passes, to avoid possible accidents to carts and men passing along the road.

Resolved that this subject be referred to the Executive Engineer for opinion.

(2) Two regular roads may be laid out, one from Uradagere to Kolal and another from Yelekyathanahalli to Mavathur and these roads may be handed over to the Public Works Department for annual maintenance.

Resolved that this subject be referred to the Executive Engineer for opinion.

(3) A tunnel may be constructed to the Bugadanahalli kodihalla to enable people from Tumkur to go to Mudgere, Vokkodi, Narvangalu and other villages on the other side of the halla.

Resolved that this be referred to the Executive Engineer for opinion.

(4) A road may be formed from the first furlong of the 27th mile on the Nelligiri-Sira road to the Bhandehalli gate.

Resolved that this be referred to the Executive Engineer for opinion.

(5) A road may be so laid out as to correct Chitnahalli and Kallur villages with the Gubbi-Hebbur road.

Resolved that this subject may be referred to the Amildar and he may be called upon to report if private contributions can be raised towards formation of the proposed road.

(6) The fines on stray goats should be raised to 4 annas per head.

Resolution.—The matter may be enquired into under the provisions of the Cattle Trespass Act.

X. *Resolved* that the next meeting of the Board be held on the 22nd December 1911, at 3 P.M.

M. SHAMA RAO,
President.